COMPARISONS

I. Choose the correct answers:

1. The new design failed because it was not _____ the original one.
A. as convenient as B. more convenient C. convenient than D. most convenient

2. Trying to cut costs by 8% may be _____ task the team has faced yet.
A. a hard B. as hard as C. the hardest D. harder than

3. The wildlife preserve is _____ tourist attraction in the city
A. as popular as B. more popular than C. most popular D. the most popular

4. The final report on the project needs to be completed _____ possible.
A. as quickly as B. quickly as C. more quickly than D. as quick as

5. I can't stand this weather. It's getting _____.
A. more and more B. coldest and coldest C. further and further D. worse and worse

6. The more you water this plant, the _____ it will grow
A. best B. tall C. faster D. wetter

7.The economic conditions today are _____ they were in the past.
A. much more good B. much better than C. much better D. the best than

8.Peter is the ____ student in my class.
A. taller than B. so tall as C. the tallest D. tallest

9.The deep oceans contain some of the _____ of all living creatures.
A. strangest B. strange C. as strange as D. stranger

10.Jane is not _____ her brother.
A. more intelligent as B. intelligent as C. so intelligent as D. so intelligent that

11.He drives as ____ his father does
A. careful as B. more carefully C. the most careful D. carefully as

12.What's the ____ film you've ever seen?
A.good B. best C. better D. the best

13.Jane is _____ age as Mary.
A. as same B. the most same C. the same D. more same

14.Despite its smaller size, the Indian Ocean _____ the Atlantic Ocean.
A. as deep as B. is the same deep as C. deeper as D. is as deep as

15.This one is prettier, but it costs _____ as the other one.
A.as much as B. twice as much C. as many D.twice as many

16.You can take _____ books as you want
A.as many B. as much C. so much D. too many

17.Of the two sisters, Linda is ____.
A.is beautiful B. the most beautiful C. more beautiful D. so beautiful as

18.The lab is _____ from the bus stop than the library.
A.far B. farther C. further D. B and C

19.The _____ accident in the history of the city occurred last night on the Freeway.
A.badest B. most bad C. worse D. worst

20. The younger you are, _____it is to learn.
A. easier B. you are easier C. the easier D. the easy

21.It's becoming _____ to find a job.
A.more difficult and more B. more and more difficult
C. most and more difiicult D. more difficult than

22. _____ electricity you use, _____ your bill will be.
A. The more ….. the higher B. The most …. The higher

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C. The more …..the high D. More … higher

23.The more I got to know Tom, ____ I like him..

A. least B. the less C. the least D. the fewer

24. _____ you are, ____ you concentrate.

A.Tired …. The least hard B. The more tired …… the harder

C. The tireder ….. the harder D. The tired ….. the harder

25._____ the man gets, _____ he becomes.

A. The more old …. The more weak B. The older… the weaker

C.The older ….. the weakest D. older …… weaker

II. Choose the sentence having the same meaning:

1. Helen earns nearly as much money as her boss

A. Helen's boss earns a bit less than she does

B. Helen's boss earns a little more than she does

C. Helen earns more money than her boss

D. Helen's boss earns as much as she does

2. Russian is more difficult than German

A. German is a bit easier than Russian

B. There's not much difference between Russian and German

C. German is a lot more difficult than Russian

D. German isn't as difficult as Russian

3. There are just as many cafes in London as in Paris.

A. There are more cafes in London

B. There aren't as many cafes in Paris

C. There are about the same number of cafes in Paris and London

D. London has the most cafes

4. A tennis ball isn't nearly as heavy as a cannonball

A. A cannonball is a bit heavier than a tennis ball

B. A tennis ball is a lot lighter than a cannonball

C. A tennis ball is heavier than a cannonball

D. A cannonball is as heavy as a tennis ball

5. She can't cook as well as her mother can

A. Her mother can cook better than she can

B. She can cook well and her mother can either

C. Neither she nor her mother can cook well

D. Both she and her mother can't cook well

6. Julie has less money than Tom

A. Julie and Tom both have less money

B. Tom has more money than Julie

C. They each have some money but Julie has more

D. Neither Tom nor Julie has any money

7. Tony's English is much better than it was.

A. Tony speaks better English now than he did before.

B. Tony has started to learn English but doesn't speak it well

C. Tony's English was much better than it is now

D. Tony has always spoken good English.

8. I had not expected the journey would be so long.

A. The journey would be longer than I had expected

B. The journey was as long as I had expected

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C. The journey was longer than I had expected
D. The journey was not so long as I had expected

9. No one in the class plays tennis as well as Tom.

A. Everyone can play tennis as well as Tom
B. Tom is the best tennis player in the class
C. Tom doesn't play tennis as well as everyone.
D. Tom is good at playing tennis.

10. He drives more carelessly than he used to.

A. He doesn't drive as carefully as he used to.
B. He doesn't drive carefully than he used to.
C. He doesn't drive as carefully than he used to.
D. He doesn't drive as carefully he does.

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